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INTERNATIONAL SECURITY AFFAIRS

In reply refer to:
1-35202/64

Honorable John A. McCone
Director
Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. McCone:

SACEUR has requested National Authorities to review his new alert measures as contained in SHAPE 169/63. An initial review has been completed by a working group of representatives from State, OASD(ISA), Joint Staff and the Services. As a result of this review a proposed U.S. position has been developed and is enclosed herein (Enclosure 1).

In general the proposed U.S. position is not changed from that previously determined for SHAPE 78/60, the previous alert book. The measures which are proposed for change, and for which your agency has previously asked to be consulted are as follows:

| <u>SHAPE 169/63</u> | <u>Proposed Category</u> | <u>SHAPE 78/60</u> | <u>Old Category</u> |
|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| SAH | IV | SAE | II |
| SIA | I | SIH | II |
| SIK | I | SIK | II |
| SIL | I | SIM | II |
| SIM | I | SIN | II |
| SIN | I | SIP | II |
| SOA | I | SOG | II |
| SSB | I | SOK | II |
| SOE | III | SOM | II |
| SSD | I | SON | II |
| SOG | III | SOP | II |
| RAK | I | RAP | II |

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| <u>SHAPE 169/63</u> | <u>Proposed Category</u> | <u>SHAPE 78/60</u> | <u>Old Category</u> |
|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|---------------------|
| RCB | I | RCQ | II |
| RCC | IV | RCT | II |
| RIH | I | RIK | II |
| RII | I | RIM | II |
| RIJ | I | RIN | II |
| GMG | II | GMK | III |

In addition there are 15 new measures for which categories are proposed as follows:

| <u>Measure</u> | <u>Category</u> | <u>Measure</u> | <u>Category</u> | <u>Measure</u> | <u>Category</u> |
|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|----------------|-----------------|
| SFG | IV | SSC | I | RMA | III |
| SLH | IV | SWB | IV | ROB | III |
| SMG | II | RFG | IV | ROC | II |
| SNH | IV | RLG | II | GMA | II |
| SOS | II | RLH | IV | GWA | II |

I would appreciate having your comments and/or concurrence on Enclosure 1 not later than 15 April 1964.

A related action is to update the degree of interest table. Enclosure 2 is a table showing your agency's position on the previous alert measures, matched with the new measures.

I would appreciate your review of this table indicating your position on the new measures and any changes you care to make on the other measures. This need not be returned until 1 May 1964.

The final approved U.S. position and new compilation charts will be sent to you for your information and appropriate action.

Sincerely,

[Signature]

2 Enclosures

1. Proposed U.S. position on SHAPE 169/63 (Top Secret, Cy 8)
2. Compilation chart showing agency degree of interest.

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